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ACTION EA-14

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-07 H-03 INR-10 L-03

NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-03 RSC-01 PRS-01 SS-15 USIA-15

DPW-01 IO-13 RSR-01 /098 W
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R 180254Z AUG 73
FM AMEMBASSY SAIGON
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6115
INFO AMCONSUL BIEN HOA
AMCONSUL CAN THO
AMCONSUL DANANG
AMCONSUL NHA TRANG
CINCPAC
USDEL JEC PARIS

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, ECON, VS
SUBJECT: GVN AMNESTIES PRISONERS ON ALL SOUL'S DAY

CINCPAC FOR POLAD

1. ON THE OCCASION OF ALL SOUL'S DAY AUGUST 13, A MAJOR BUDDHIST
HOLIDAY, THE GVN AMNESTIED 497 CONVICTS. THE MINISTRY OF
INTERIOR HAS PROVIDED US WITH THE FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN:

RELEASED: 253
SENTENCE MITIGATED: 244

NONE OF THE AMNESTIED PRISONERS IS ON THE GVN LIST OF COMMUNIST
OFFENDERS. ALL ARE CONSIDERED COMMON CRIMINALS.

2. THOUGH THIS IS A BUDDHIST HOLIDAY, APPARENTLY NO SPECIAL
CONSIDERATION WAS GIVEN TO BUDDHISTS IN THE AMNESTY. THIS
HOLIDAY IS ONE OF SEVEN COMMONLY RESERVED FOR SUCH AMNESTIES
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EACH YEAR.

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